

BEAR CREEK FIELD
03-747 and 03-748

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 2003**, upon the application of **EL PASO PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Brown-Ozley Sand and the Poland Sand, Reservoir C**, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit applicant to complete, designate and utilize its SNG Fee No. 2 Well as the substitute unit well for the BR-OZ SUT, said well being located as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To designate applicant as operator of BR-OZ SUT.
3. To find that designation and use of the SNG Fee No. 2 Well as the substitute unit well for BR-OZ SUT is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Brown-Ozley Sand underlying BR-OZ SUT which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within the unit.
4. To approve the downhole combination of production from the Brown-Ozley Sand and the Poland Sand, Reservoir C, in the wellbore of the SNG Fee No. 2 Well and in the wellbore of any other well located on BR-OZ SUT and POLAND RC SUA in which the ownership interest in these units is identical.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Brown-Ozley Sand, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-D, effective February 20, 1952.

The Poland Sand, Reservoir C, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 78-P-2, effective May 1, 1981.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 8/28/03;9/3/03

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.